



**SEM-WEEKLY SOUTH KENTUCKIAN,**

FRIDAY, MAY 21, 1886.

CHAS. M. MEACHAM - Editor.

**DEMOCRATIC TICKET.**ELECTION AUGUST 1886.  
FOR JUDGE OF COURT OF APPEALS,  
CASWELL BENNETT,  
OF LIVINGSTON COUNTY.FOR SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE,  
JAMES H. BOWDEN,  
OF LOGAN.FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE,  
JOHN R. GRACE,  
OF TRIGO.FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY,  
JAMES B. GARNETT,  
OF TRIGO.FOR COUNTY JUDGE,  
W. P. WINFREE.FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY,  
JNO. W. PAYNE.FOR CIRCUIT COURT CLERK,  
CYRUS M. DAY.FOR COUNTY CLERK,  
AQUILLA B. LONG.FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR,  
A. M. COOPER.FOR COUNTY SHERIFF,  
J. F. DIXON.FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR,  
A. V. TOWNES.FOR COUNTY JAILER,  
GEO. W. LONG.FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT,  
G. A. CHAMPLIN.FOR COUNTY CORONER,  
DR. DARWIN BELL.

The late departed Legislature passed 59 general laws, which cost the people \$2,300 each.

Thos. Reddin, the sixth policeman to die from the injuries received at the hands of Anarchists, died last Monday.

Col. Jno. F. Davis has been re-appointed Commissioner of Agriculture, and the nomination confirmed by the Senate.

We were almost tempted to resurrect our dog in order to give the Legislature a "send off," but as both are dead we'll let them rest in peace together.

Ex-President Arthur's friends have at last realized that his case is hopeless. He is slowly dying of Bright's disease and his death is only a question of months and perhaps days.

J. L. Lemon, of Marshall county, has been appointed a member of the State Board of Equalization for the first district, vice C. C. Caulter, deceased.

The nomination of Mrs. V. C. Thompson to be postmaster at Louisville was confirmed by the Senate Monday. There were six opposing votes, three of which were cast by Democrats.

Bart Jenkins, Sergeant at Arms of the Senate, threw a tumbler at his son while they were at dinner in the Merrimether Hotel Monday, and the latter drew a pistol and fired at his father. The ball did not strike the old man or injure anyone else.

Gov. Knott has re-appointed Messrs. J. Plunkett Thompson, of Marion, and Jno. D. Young, of Bath, Railroad Commissioners, and appointed Hon. I. A. Spalding, of Union, to succeed the late Hon. A. R. Boone, deceased. The nominations were promptly confirmed by the Senate.

Chas. N. Walker has started a new paper at Fulton bearing the unique and entirely original name of "The Boomerang." Mr. Walker is a whirlwind editor and his new venture bears upon its face the evidences of a determination to make it a meritorious paper. We wish the success indicated by the first syllable of its name.

Maxwell, alias Brooks, the St. Louis drunk murderer, has made a statement that is virtually a confession. He says he killed Preller accidentally while administering chloroform to him at his own request, in order to perform a delicate surgical operation. After he saw Preller was dead he got on a drunk and does not know what he did while in that condition. He packed him in his truck and left while crazed with liquor. The story is decidedly diabolical and Maxwell ought to hang. His trial is now in progress.

Queen Christina, widow of the late King Alfonso, of Spain, gave birth to a posthumous child on the 17th, which being a boy is heir to the throne of Spain. It will be remembered that since the King's death his daughter, the little Mercedes, has been Queen under the regency of her mother. There is great rejoicing throughout the Kingdom over the birth of a male heir. In response to a summons there had assembled at the palace to await the accouchement all the cabinet ministers, the foreign representatives, the principal civil and military magnates, a deputation of members of the Cortes, and other distinguished persons. The child was born at noon. The usual pomp and ceremony were observed in connection with the birth and the city of Madrid was illuminated. The babe will probably be named Fernando Idefonso.

**KENTUCKY KNOWLEDGE.**

The temperance crusade at Owensboro has wound up after getting a total of 1,711 signers.

The Governor has appointed Dr. Alvin Duvall, of Frankfort, Assistant Physician of the Eastern Asylum for the Insane, at Lexington.

Mrs. Elizabeth McKay, of Taylorsville, Ky., will be 100 years old June 4, and the leading citizens of that place are arranging to celebrate the event in an appropriate manner.

Fred Reiner Ottiker, a young Bavarian Count, is lying at the point of death in the Louisville Hospital. He has squandered a fortune and has lately been working as a cook in the Commercial Hotel.

The recent Chambers fire, of which mention was made, has proved more distressing than was thought of at the time. A fine two-story new frame house was completely destroyed, including every stick of furniture and every stitch of clothing contained therein. The occupants, including Mrs. Chambers, the owner of the property, Miss Mary Chambers and also Major Wifrey and family of Evansville, Dr. W. D. Chambers and his wife, were miraculously awakened and barely escaped from the burning building in their night apparel. The ladies lost all their jewelry, including several valuable diamonds. Dr. Chambers had his whiskers singed in passing out of the house. The incendiary even went so far as to cut the rope attached to the farm bell, so that the alarm could not be sounded. A particularly distressing feature of the incendiary work is the fact that Mrs. Chambers (the old lady) has completely broken down and to a great extent has lost her reason.—Henderson Correspondent Evansville Journal.

**The Verdict Unanimous.**

W. D. Sult, Druggist, Bippins, Ind., testifies: "I can recommend Electric Bitters as the very best remedy. Every bottle sold has given relief in every case. One man took six bottles and was cured of rheumatism of 10 years' standing." Abraham Hale, druggist, Bellville, Ohio, affirms: "The best selling medicine I have ever handled in my 20 years' experience is Electric Bitters." Thousands of others have added their testimony, so that the verdict is unanimous that Electric Bitters do cure all diseases of the Liver, Kidneys or Blood. Only a half dollar a bottle at Arnolds' Drug Store.

Both Houses of the Kentucky Legislature adjourned *sine die* on the 18th inst., after having been in session for 140 days, or 80 days beyond the constitutional limit. It passed a number of very bad bills, including that permitting defendants in criminal cases to testify, that donating \$3,200 to Barry South for services never rendered, the pleuro-pneumonia and steam and others too numerous to mention. If it passed any good bills it was done unwittingly and the members should not be held responsible for it. The body will go down to history as the worst Legislature that ever assembled in Kentucky. May we never see its like again.

Demorest's Magazine for June is filled with an unusual array of interesting articles. Jenny Jane contributes "The American Drama and Its Typical Stars;" W. Jennings Demarest, "The Signs of the Times;" and Katharine Armstrong, "Art Work in Metal." Other good articles are "Emanuel Geibel," "Rose Hartwicke Thorpe," and "Clinic Painting at Home." "That Other Person" is continued and the shorter stories are of interest. The departments including that devoted to the cause of Prohibition, are quite full. The frontispiece is a steel engraving, "The Love Story."

**P. T. BARNUM IS COMING.**

The Combined Shows.—Myriads of Attractions and Features.

The present season forms the sixth in the compact that binds together P. T. Barnum's Greatest Show on Earth and the great London Circus, the two biggest shows this country and abroad. The show will never move from this town over verily any inseparable enterprise under the firm name of P. T. Barnum &amp; Co.

In presenting the magnificent combination this year, it can safely be said that everything of any value as an object of pleasure, source of amusement and laughter, or that produces delight, affords instruction, causes wonder, creates astonishment or in any way conduces to the innocent recreation of the public is this year to be found within its immenstum. \$500,000 has been expended in purchasing novelties, features, wonders and marvels, which, added to those already possessed by these monarchs of the show world, renders the exhibition truly an immense one in each and all its many departments.

To enumerate its myriads of surprising features would be to occupy too much space; suffice it that the show consists of a triple circus with three big rings, elevated stage performances, round hippodrome for the exposition of the numberless thrilling races, a series of living human and other wonders, two hundred double menageries of the rarest and most beautiful beasts, birds and reptiles, an elephant pavilion containing a herd of those big animals, besides clown elephant and others, all trained. The huge canvas has a seating capacity of 20,000, and covers fully eight acres of ground, while the other tents are simply numberless. Four trains of cars are necessary to transport the stock, cages, and material; and the payroll contains the enormous number of 800 names—truly a mammoth show. 210 persons are employed in advance in various capacities, and 300 is stated as the number of its performers, who are to be seen in 100 acts of a startling character. The great free street parade will take place the morning of the show, after which two performances will be given, at 2 and 8 p.m. The entire show will be here on June 3.

**TOBACCO SALES.**

Sales by Gant &amp; Gathier Co., of 156

hundred tobacco goods as follows:

38 hds. good leaf—\$8.00 to 12.50.

43 hds. medium leaf—\$6.50 to 8.00.

36 hds. com. leaf—\$4.00 to 6.40.

39 hds. lugs and trash—\$1.75 to 5.50.

Market steady at last week's prices.

Good tobacco in order selling at satisfactory prices.

**WOMEN**  
NEEDING STRENGTH, OR WHO SUFFER FROM INFIRMITIES PECULIAR TO THEIR SEX, SHOULD TRY BROWN'S IRON BITTERS.

ON EVERY BOTTLE

This Medicine combines Iron with pure vegetable extractives, and is a powerful restorative.

It is also a powerful tonic, and all who lead sedentary lives, 11

Estimates BROWN'S IRON BITTERS.

Mrs. ELIZABETH BROWN, 74 Forrest Ave., New York, was, under date of Dec. 20th, 1885,

Mrs. LOUISA C. BRADY, East Lockport, N. Y.

says: "I have suffered untold misery from various diseases, but have been relieved by taking a croup Brown's Iron Bitters."

Take no other. Made only by

BROWN CHEMICAL CO., BALTIMORE, MD.

THE SKELTON OF JUMBO.

GREAT FREE STREET PARADE,

Containing over a mile of Rich Objects and Rare Features, will leave the Grounds at 8 o'clock A. M.

Admission to Everything 50 Cents. Children Under Nine 25 Cents.

For the accommodation of those wishing to avoid the crowd at the wagon, an Office has been established at the Armistead Drug Store, No. 111 Main St., where reserved numbered tickets can be obtained at the regular price, and admission is free at the usual slight advance, or on entering of the show.

Excursion Rates on all Railroads.

Will Exhibit at Madisonville JUNE 4th.

**CROFTON, KY.**

MAY 19, 1886.

ED. SOUTH KENTUCKIAN:

Mrs. B. D. Williams, who has been in the millinery department of J. E. Croft's store, left to-day for St. Charles to visit her aunt a few days. From there she goes to Windom, Kans., to join her husband. We join with many friends in wishing her a pleasant trip.

John Bobbitt, of Nashville, Tenn., was shaking hands with his old friends here this week.

Rev. Mr. Crandall and wife are spending a few days with Mr. G. R. Hancock and family.

Wm. H. Shepherd, near Consolation Church, was kicked by a colt nine days old last Sunday, just above the crest of ilium on left side. At first it caused him but little pain but in a few hours he grew worse and died at ten o'clock Tuesday morning. He was a member of the Methodist church, also of the Masonic order. He leaves many friends to mourn their loss and to such we tender our condolence.

Dr. M. S. Sale, Mrs. May Langly and Mr. Tim Thaxton have rented a house at Allensville, Ky., and they will move there Thursday.

Mr. Thos. Stewart has accepted a position with M. V. Dulin.

Young man, when you take your girl out driving again and she doubts your veracity, don't try to convince her by uplifted hands until you have looked in every direction and then it would be well to keep one eye on the road and the other on her, for it matters not how sincere a man may be, the sudden appearance of a third party casts a gloom over all and the hands fall before she who stands at the bar of justice has time to think of how much she had lost by not being willing to believe all she had heard in one afternoon.

Miss Jennie Dulin left Monday for Earlinton, Ky., where she will spend several weeks with her cousin, Mrs. Kate McLeod.

BUCK.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all other diseases of the lungs and chest. The remedy is a simple and specific cure for young or middle-aged men and women who are suffering from asthma, consumption, chronic bronchitis, catarrh, consumption, etc., and is equally good for all nervous conditions. It has been used for many years in Europe and America and has a well-known reputation.

The public's absolute reliance.

PINEAS T. BARNUM.

Triple Circus Company in Three Big Rings, Huge Elevated Stage for Olympic Games, Two

Imposing Double Menageries of Living

Human Wonders, Grand Roaring Hippodrome, with Glorious Races.

Doors open at 1 and 6 p. m. Performances commence at 2 and 7.

Largest and Richest Amusement Enterprise on the face of the Globe.

FAREWELL TOUR.

BARNUM'S Adieu to his American Patrons.

I regret being forced to take away from my fellow-citizens an exhibition which they have enthusiastically appreciated and lavishly patronized, but the arrival of a new and more attractive and popular show has caused me to make a change.

I have made all arrangements and contracts for its transportation, in its vast entirety, across the Atlantic. My able and experienced partners will continue this unparallel enterprise under the direction of

The public's absolute reliance.

PINEAS T. BARNUM.

T. H. TURNER'S TREATMENT.

Price T. H. TURNER'S TREATMENT, per package

\$1.00 three packages \$2.00, five packages \$3.00.

I have been in practice for 15 years.

I have a well-known reputation.

## TIME TABLE FOR TRAINS.

DEPART SOUTH—11:15 A. M. & 2:30 P. M.  
ARRIVE FROM SOUTH—10:15 A. M. & 3:30 P. M.  
ARRIVE FROM NORTH—4:15 A. M. & 5:30 P. M.

Time Table of C. O. &amp; S. W. R. R.

GOING SOUTH.

Lv. Louisville 8:30 A. M.  
" 8:35 A. M.  
" 9:00 A. M.  
" 2:34 P. M.  
" 2:45 P. M.

SIXTEEN MILES.

Lv. Memphis 11:40 A. M.  
" 12:15 P. M.  
" 1:30 P. M.
NORTONVILLE 11:45 A. M.

7:30 P. M.

SOUTHERN EXPRESS OFFICE.

NORTHLAND, near Main.

OPEN 5 A. M. to 5 P. M.

TELEGRAPH OFFICES.

WATKINSVILLE—U.S. chain corner Main and

Westgate. Mrs. Standle and Miss Park, operators.

BALTIMORE &amp; OHIO—10 Main corner Main

and Westgate. J. E. Gandy, operator.

TELEPHONE OFFICE.

Main St. bet. 8th and 9th up stairs. Clarence

Lindsay, operator.

## SOCIALITIES.

Mr. John A. F. Brown and family

left Tuesday for San Diego, Cal.

Mrs. Emma Coleman is visiting

the family of Judge Joe McCarroll.

Mr. Jas. Richardson, of Cerueian

Springs, was in the city yesterday.

Col. T. H. Griner, of Cadiz, spent

several days of this week in the city.

Mr. James Ware has accepted a

position as clerk at the Phoenix Hotel.

Lieut. Wm. V. Bronough, of the U. S. N., is in the city on a visit to his family.

Col. W. W. Anglin and Mr. L. J. Porcell, of Lafayette, were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Jno. C. Gary, of South Christian, has gone to Morganfield to spend a month.

Dr. B. W. Stone is attending the meeting of Asylum Superintendents at Lexington.

Mr. J. H. Graves, of Todd Co., left Wednesday to attend the Bryant &amp; Stratton Commercial college, at Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Wilford of Cadiz, passed through the city Wednesday, en route home from a visit to Bowling Green.

Rev. A. C. Biddle and wife, Mrs. J. P. Braden and Miss Wiley attended the C. P. Missionary meeting at Evansville this week.

Mr. W. A. Wilgus left yesterday for Cincinnati and Chicago to purchase additional machinery for the KENTUCKIAN office.

II. H. Abernathy, G. P. of the Kentucky Grand Lodge, went to Clarksville yesterday to attend the Tennessee Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias.

Misses Ida and LuLu Baker and Mrs. Laura Blakely, of the Bellevue and Montague vicinity, were in the city Wednesday, having come up to see Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Backus off on the afternoon train.

Mr. R. T. Hamilton, press agent of Barnum's show, was in the city Thursday. If all of the attaches of this show are as clever and gentlemanly as Mr. Hamilton, it must be strictly first-class in every particular.

Convention.

The South Kentucky Christian Missionary and Sunday School Association will assemble in convention at the Christian Church in this city next week. The first address will be made by Rev. A. McLean, of Cincinnati, Ohio, on Tuesday night, and the second on Wednesday and Thursday evenings on Wednesday and Thursday, closing Thursday night.

## KICKED TO DEATH.

## A Good Citizen's Sad Fate.

Mr. Wm. H. Shepherd, a prominent and respected citizen of the Madisonville vicinity, was kicked by a young colt last Sunday morning, while feeding his stock. He was struck in the groin and did not at first think the injury was serious, as the colt was only about ten days old. In a little while, however, the bruise began to give him trouble and he went to bed and continued to grow worse until Tuesday morning when he expired. Mr. Shepherd was over 60 years old and was a well known and substantial farmer and tobacco dealer. He was a clever gentleman and a consistent member of the Methodist church. It will be remembered that he was an unsuccessful candidate for jailer before the late Democratic convention. He leaves a family.

## Church Services.

## CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Preaching Lord's day at 11 A. M. and 3 P. M., by the pastor, L. W. Welsh. Singing conducted by Prof. Daugherty. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Public cordially invited to all services.

## Seize Property for Sale.

Fern Hill Cottage, with seven acres of land—four cleared and in grass, balance in wood lawn, lying on railroad, midway between sulphur springs and chalybeate springs. The house has lately been repaired, painted and papered. Will be offered in sections and as a whole. One-third cash, balance in 6 and 12 months with interest. Rent retained. Sale June 5, 1886, at 1 p. m., on premises. Mr. John Pollard will show the property. G. W. McClure, Corydon, Ky.

## HERE AND THERE.

Early cherries are in the market. Rev. V. M. McCalfe and brother will preach at Liberty church next Sunday.

Rev. W. G. L. Quisite will preach at Goshen church next Sunday, at 11 o'clock.

Eugene Wood has 30 acres of good clover and grass pasture with water convenient. Apply early.

The Methodist ladies gave an ice cream and strawberry supper at No. 6 Main street, last evening.

Howard Long and Dr. Lockhart, of Owensboro, brought Mrs. Georgia Graves to the asylum Tuesday.

The mad dog scare has entirely subsided. The dog ordinance will expire by limitation the first of June.

The Board of Trustees of the Hopkinsville Public Schools, will elect teachers for 1886-7 this evening.

City Engineer Cross and his assistant T. T. McCamy are engaged this week in preparing a profile of the streets.

Judge R. T. Peirce will build a brick cottage on South Main street on one of his vacant lots between 16th and 17th sts.

Messrs. Collins &amp; Price, the painters, are making the Bank of Hopkinsville front look as pretty as a band wagon.

Among other fish received by Mr. Itau, this week, was a cat fish weighing one hundred pounds. Another shipment to-day.

The dry goods merchants of Clarksville have agreed to close their houses every evening from June 1 to Sept. 1 at 6:30 o'clock, Saturdays excepted.

The Y. M. C. A. Library will be open Saturday, May 22, from 4 to 6 p. m., in order that members holding tickets may obtain books.

G. N. Campbell, Acting Librarian.

Mr. T. C. Griner has just put down the best crossing in the city. It is of solid stone a yard wide and extends across Seventh street, on the west side of Main.

If you think the KENTUCKIAN the cheapest paper you take, don't be selfish, but tell your neighbor about it and give him a chance to get the benefit of low prices and plenty of reading.

Notwithstanding the cry of hard times, the KENTUCKIAN's list of subscribers still continue to increase, but there is still room for one more, and we would be glad to have our friends aid us in securing that one.

Thos. F. Grimes suicided at Springfield, Tenn., last Monday, by taking laudanum. Deceased was a brother-in-law of Mr. J. D. Shepherd, who lives near this city, and who is a brother of W. H. Shepherd who died the following day.

Mr. Walter F. Garnett has bought a lot 30x300 feet from Mr. E. H. Hopper on 18th street, at the head of Clay street. It is the western portion of the grove surrounding Mr. Hopper's residence. Mr. Garnett will begin at once to build a brick veneered cottage of two stories.

Hon. Asher G. Garuth, of Louisville, will deliver the "Literary Address" to the officers and students of South Kentucky College on commencement night June 10, 1886. Mr. Garuth's well-known ability as an orator and classic man insures a rare treat for those who attend.

A young man from Empire was here this week soliciting funds to aid the coal miners in their strike. They have struck for a 1/4 inch screen instead of 2 inches, as at present. The money collected was to enable them to hold out in their strike and bring the mining company to terms.

In North Christian armies of worms are feeding upon the leaves of forest trees. They drop into the waters of the running streams and the fish fatten upon them and turn up their noses at ordinary fishing worms when they are used to bait a hook. The only way to catch them is to use a seine and this has been done to such an extent that comparatively few fish are left in the smaller tanks of Pond River.

The Metcalfe Manufacturing Co., is building a brick addition to their large building on 8th St. in which they will have their casting done. They have more work on hand than they can turn out, but have enlarged their force, and will be prepared to execute any job that may be brought in. We are glad to note such prosperity among the manufacturing interests, and trust their business may continue to increase.

An old colored man named Henry Long, from the Crofton neighborhood, was in the city Wednesday and drew about \$68 or \$70 on his tobacco. While in a disreputable house in the rear of the court square he lost his pocket book, or had it stolen from him. Besides his money, it contained a number of receipts and other papers of value to him. The old fellow was in a peck of trouble over his loss and tried to drown his troubles by getting drunk.

Mrs. J. S. Forrey has the reputation of raising the finest berries in the city. Yesterday we were presented with a basket full of two varieties of her strawberries—the Sharpless and Lougefellow. Some of the first named measured over six inches in circumference. The other kind is not so large, but is a sweater and in many respects a better berry. They are undoubtedly the finest berries we have seen this season, and the kind donor will accept our thanks for the same.

## MONEYED MEN.

Following is a list of tax-payers in Hopkinsville who pay taxes on property assessed at \$5,000 and over. All of the property is not in the city, as a number of residents of Hopkinsville list farms in the country:

WHITE.

Mrs. H. G. Abernathy ..... \$7,175  
A. J. Bowles ..... 10,300  
J. C. Bowles ..... 10,000  
M. S. and J. G. Field ..... 7,000  
J. U. Campbell's heirs ..... 6,500  
Mrs. S. A. Duckett ..... 6,100  
D. R. Beard ..... 9,150  
F. H. Campbell ..... 5,000  
Mrs. Sarah T. Coleman ..... 6,100  
Geo. V. Campbell ..... 10,180  
Crescent Clothing Co. ..... 11,000  
John C. Campbell ..... 8,500  
Mrs. E. R. Cook ..... 6,000  
Michael Burnett's estate, Oakley & Bush ..... 8,145  
J. H. Dade ..... 11,000  
F. W. Dabney ..... 8,225  
Mrs. M. C. Edmunds ..... 10,000  
Sam for children ..... 7,000  
F. H. Ellis & Co. ..... 10,400  
Mrs. E. H. Faulkner ..... 12,000  
M. Frankel & Sons ..... 7,000  
Geo. F. Fox ..... 10,000  
Sam for P. T. Fox's estate, Forbes & Hiro ..... 11,000  
D. J. Gish ..... 10,000  
H. B. Garner ..... 8,510  
Mrs. Nannie Grissom ..... 8,110  
Mrs. Eva Gaa ..... 8,010  
Dr. W. M. Hill ..... 8,350  
W. H. Ifte ..... 7,500  
J. N. Hopkins ..... 8,000  
J. T. Jones ..... 8,000  
H. H. Huland ..... 8,000  
Hopkinsville Gas Co. ..... 8,000  
H. W. Husted ..... 8,775  
Jas. H. Huwe ..... 8,200  
E. W. Henderson ..... 8,580  
E. H. Hooper ..... 8,750  
Sam for wife ..... 8,000  
Sam for Susan, Bryan and H. M. Fopper ..... 8,000  
Jones & Co. ..... 7,000  
Louise Jones ..... 8,000  
Mrs. M. D. Kelly ..... 8,000  
Mrs. E. F. Knight ..... 10,450  
M. Lipstone ..... 8,000  
Mrs. Virginia Latham ..... 8,000  
Mrs. J. A. Leavel ..... 8,000  
Guardian Ethel Mills, Longfoss and Smithson ..... 7,016  
M. Lewis ..... 8,000  
Corde Lovell ..... 8,000  
Sam for G. W. Maye ..... 8,000  
J. W. McCall ..... 8,000  
Mrs. M. E. McClelland ..... 8,000  
Mrs. M. E. McPhee ..... 8,000  
Mrs. M. D. Myers ..... 8,000  
Mrs. A. L. Starling ..... 8,000  
Sam for children ..... 8,000  
Jno. W. Stith ..... 8,000  
Mrs. J. T. Thompson ..... 8,000  
H. J. Sharp ..... 8,000  
Geo. H. Tyler's children ..... 8,000  
Geo. O. Thompson ..... 14,325  
D. M. Taylor ..... 8,075  
Mrs. E. J. Templeton's heirs ..... 20,000  
S. E. Price ..... 20,000  
Jno. B. Price ..... 7,000  
Eugene Mills Co. ..... 7,000  
W. J. Withers ..... 8,000  
Mrs. E. T. Green ..... 7,000  
COLORED.

WHITE.

No. 1—\$1,500,170. Males over 31.... 946  
No. 2—2,114,302. Males over 31.... 880  
No. 3—861,063. Males over 31.... 884  
No. 4—(est) 90,975. Males over 31.... 500  
Total ..... 16,946,255 4171

The property valuation for 1885 was \$6,301,349, showing an increase of \$3,886. The total number of males over 21 years old is 7233, a slight increase over last year.

Tongaline is a valuable remedy a whiff of scirve in all forms of neuralgia, its best effects are seen in treating neuralgias of rheumatic origin. I have not met a single case of this ordinarily troublesome disease which did not specifically get relief from Tongaline. I can recommend it from personal experience.

J. F. Stevens, M. D., Shabbona, Ills.

Bethel Female College.

The following is a programme of the annual commencement exercises of the Bethel Female College:

Examinations, oral and written, beginning Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, May 29, and continuing through Wednesday, June 2.

The annual sermon will be preached at 8 o'clock v. m. Sunday, May 30, by Rev. C. H. Strickland, D. D., of Nashville Tenn., at the Baptist church.

The meeting of the Trustees will take place at 5 o'clock v. m. Tuesday, June 1, in the College parlor.

Commencement exercises proper, Wednesday June 2, at Holland's Opera House, at which time five young ladies will graduate.

Owing to illness Hon. W. F. Browder, of Ilion, will not deliver the annual literary address, as advertised. Mr. Browder is now in very poor health and was forced to decline a few days ago upon the advice of his physician. This is a source of great regret to the friends of the school and the public generally, as his declination deprives them of what would have certainly been a rare literary treat.

Buckler's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Sore Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Irritations, and positively cures Piles, as no pay required. Its guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. R. Aristed.

The Court of Claims.

The Court of Claims adjourned

Wednesday at noon. No business was transacted outside of the regular routine. The matter of employing

convict labor, to build turnpikes

was not considered, as the bill au-

uthorizing it did not pass the Legis-

lature. Nothing was done towards

borrowing money for paying school

teachers' salaries. The usual appro-

priations were made. The county

levy was fixed at 95 cents, viz.: for

county purposes, 7 cents; for state

purposes 52½ cents. This is a de-

crease of 5 cents from last year's rate.

Sixteen person were relieved from

paying poll-tax. The total claim

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## SEM-WEEKLY SOUTH KENTUCKIAN

18 AND 20 NINTH STREET,  
HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY

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CLIPPED NEWS ITEMS.

A. Alber committed suicide at Omaha.

S. J. Moore and a child were killed by lightning, near Nashville, Tenn.

Everything is quiet at Cincinnati and the militia are leaving for home.

Grasshoppers have appeared in Adams county, Indiana, in vast numbers.

A Company has been organized to construct an electric elevated railroad in Chicago.

At Fort Niobrara a private soldier killed a corporal, and in turn was killed by the guard.

Corporal Schoder of the Fourteenth regiment was drowned at Cincinnati while bathing.

Work has been generally resumed in the lumber yards at Chicago and at the Pullman car works.

Mrs. Joseph Kettellako and her 2-months-old babe were drowned at St. Charles, Mo.

Illinois is pronounced free of pleurisy pneumonia among cattle by the live stock commission.

Persons' mulatto wife publishes a letter asking a suspension of judgment until the evidence is heard.

Ninety-one striking coal miners of Washington county, Pennsylvania, have been indicted for conspiracy.

The A. O. Convention, in session at St. Paul, sent a congratulatory message to Parnell and Gladstone.

Benjamin Hammon, a farmer of O'Neill, Neb., was poisoned with strichuine and charges him with the crime.

Lightning struck a barn of Thomas Roland, near Warden, Ill., killing two horses and fatally injuring two others.

Emma Fleetwood, who has been on trial at Charleston, Ill., charged with the murder of her parents, has been acquitted.

Farmer Clark's daughter was burned to death, near Mt. Carmel. She was making a mosquito "smudge" and poured oil on the fire.

A representative of British syndicate of capitalists is at Baltimore to make proposals to building the Chesapeake and Delaware ship canal.

While trying to break up old iron with dynamite at Pittsburgh a terrible explosion took place, shattering several houses and seriously injuring one man.

Gov. Gray of Indiana will not yet attempt to vacate the office of attorney-general, the present occupant of which is Isaac.

Bartley Campbell's friends have thought it best to "put him under restraint." He is following John McCullough's road.

A judgment in favor of the government for \$116,559 has been rendered at Chicago against Gen. John McArthur, ex-postmaster, for shortago in accounts.

The moulder at the E. P. Allison Manufacturing Company's works, Milwaukee, returned to work at the old prices.

Two companies of Illinois militia have been ordered to East St. Louis to relieve the two companies ordered away.

Michael Brok, an unmarried farmer, while rowing in a skiff across the Kankakee River near Womence, Ill., was killed by lightning.

Charles Grant, the manager and driver of the celebrated trotter, Joe Bunker, has issued a challenge to trot his horse against Tom Rodgers for \$10,000.

The Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church began their semi-annual meeting at Buffalo to arrange a plan of Episopal visitation, and dispose of other official business.

Alfred Bauman, of Owen County, committed suicide. He was fifty years old, and leaves a wife and several children. Financial and family troubles.

An accident happened to the train carrying Forebaugh's circus, on the Lackawanna road in New York, by which a number of persons were injured.

Mrs. Wright, in jail at McIlvane, W. Va., on suspicion of having poisoned her husband, has made confession implicating Daniel Allen, paramour, and he was also arrested.

From Alabama.

I have been afflicted with rheumatism over three years. Two years of the time I could not walk a step—could not even stand on my feet. My joints were all swollen, and some of them running sores. I commenced taking S. S. S., and in six weeks I was walking. I consider that I am cured of the worst case of rheumatism that I ever heard of, and Swift's Specific did the work.

Ike Pruitt.

Salem, Ala., Jan. 21, 1886.

We know the above statement to be true. We gave him the medicine (S. S. S.). The day we gave it to him he actually could not stand upon his feet—had no use of his limbs whatever. We make this statement cheerfully, as the result of our own observation.

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### HOME AND FARM.

To sell good eggs, pat them in water; if the large end turns up they are not fresh. This is an infallible rule to distinguish a good egg from a bad one.—*The Household*.

—Where silex is used for dress linings an authority states that, by placing the silex at the neck, instead of in the salver at the front, it will not stretch nearly so much as when used in the old way.—*Boston Globe*.

To prevent blue coffee from fading, pour one ounce of sugar of lead into a pail of water, soak the material in the solution for two hours, and let dry before being washed and ironed. This is good for all shades of blue.—*Boston Globe*.

Brown Bread: Two cups of grain flour, one cup of water, three one-pint cans of flour, two cups of sour or buttery oil, one and one-half teaspoonful of soda or saleratus. Bake in a moderate oven for half an hour. Sweeten with sugar or molasses if liked.—*The Coterie*.

The cow, when yielding milk, needs a warmer stable than the ox. If we draw from her twenty pounds of milk daily that is at the temperature of one hundred degrees we must in some way furnish her with the means of restoring the eddies to the system.—*Troy Times*.

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Great excitement has been caused in the vicinity of Paris, Tex., by the remarkable recovery of Mr. J. E. Corley, who was so helpless he could not turn in bed, or raise his head; everybody said he was dying of consumption. A trial bottle of Dr. King's New Disease was sent him. Fighting right along, he bought a large bottle of Dr. King's New Disease. Till the time he had taken two boxes of pills and two bottles of the Discovery, he was well and had gained in flesh thirty-six pounds.

—Trial bottles of his Great Discovery for Consumption free at J. R. Armistead's.

The loss by the storm in the vicinity of Kenton, O., will reach into the hundreds of thousands.

The body of Franklin Rupert Reed of Grinnell, Ia., a student at Yale, was found floating in the Hudson with a bullet wound in the head.

—Oven Jennings, while greasing the machinery of a wind mill pump near Evansville, fell fifty feet and was instantly killed.

Our columns are still filled with choice miscellany and live local material, but the price is only \$2.00 a year, postage paid. The very paper for the hard times, for you get more for the amount of money expended than can be obtained anywhere else. If you are not a subscriber make up your mind to enlist at once.

FRUIT TREES.

Eminent Authorities on the Selection of Apples, Pears and Cherries.

I shall speak first of apples, pears and cherries, and I have been at some pains to secure the opinions of eminent horticulturists as to the best selections of these fruits for the home table, not any amateur's desire to have a choice fruit in his garden in order to convert the moisture into vapor. Under a covered yard an animal is protected not only from cold winds, but also from the rain, and a immense amount of food is thus saved.—*Albany Journal*.

### KIND NATURE.

How She Adopts the Coloration of Animals to Their Surroundings.

Correspondence in color with the general line of the surrounding medium is especially common wherever a single tone predominates largely in the wider aspect of nature. Arctic animals, as everybody knows, are always white.

—Prairie dogs and Northern hares put on a snowy coat among the snows of winter.

The uncommercial stoat needlessly transforms himself on the approach of cold weather into the expensive and much persecuted ermine. Imagine for a moment the chances of life possessed by a bright squirrel animal among the snows of Greenland, and one can see at once the absolute necessity for this unvarying protective coloration.

Even a royal Duke would scarcely venture to approach a squirrel so uniformly dressed as to be almost invisible.

—H. Marshall P. Wilder, the veteran president of the American Pomological Society, writes us as follows: "Herewith is the selection I have made for family use, but I could put in as many more in some of the classes which are just as desirable, or more so. I have selected the names with reference to covering the Kansas City route. Send for large map of this route; mailed free.

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—SYPHOMYCETES OF A TORPID LIVER.

Each of appetite, Diarrhoea, Palpitation, &c., dull, torpid, &c.,

Particulars of the appetite, and

Irritability of temper, Low spirits, with a feeling of having neglected some duty, &c., &c.

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He professes his opinion with the following words: "How much and how often we horticulturists have been puzzled with this question of the best varieties of fruit, and how to select them, is a question which I am not giving too much space to in this matter of selection. We are now dealing with questions which wide and varied experience can best answer. Men who give their lives to the cultivation and observation of fruits are the best authorities on the subject, and knowledge which is almost invaluable.

We can not afford to put trees, to give them the best care, and wait for years only to learn that all our care has been bestowed on inferior or secondary varieties. Life is too brief. We all feel that the best is good enough for us, and the best usually costs no more in money or time than do less desirable varieties. Therefore I seek to give on this important question of choice the opinions of some of the best authorities in the land.

—All those young beginners who happen to show any tendency to plain brown coloring are to be recognized as fit to get preference among their hair, when they are dressed, and among the neighbors.

—The intrusive red or blue berries from neighboring berry fields gets promptly eaten up by the local birds who pluck them and around them. The intrusive red or green bird from neighboring forbs finds the bread taken out of his mouth by the too severe competition of his desert brother, who can steal upon them like a red ranger signal, and is as sedulously avoided by the invisible insects as if he meant intentionally to advertise his presence.

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